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# FRANKLIN GARDENS

FINE DAHLIAS

1938



JULIA MACK

MEMBER OF



CAPITAL DAHLIA SOCIETY  
Of Olympia, Wash.

PORTLAND DAHLIA SOCIETY  
Portland, Oregon

WASHINGTON DAHLIA SOCIETY



Mrs. H. C. Cogswell

New Location:

9030 East D Street  
TACOMA

## JULIA MACK

McKamey-Franklin

(See Cover Picture)

### AMERICAN HOME ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL WINNER AT THE WASHINGTON DAHLIA SOCIETY SHOW AT TACOMA, 1937

Color: Mandarin red; base of petals and tips gold. Size: 10 to 12 inches across and 7 inches deep. Good substance. Formation: Formal Decorative. The petals are broad and pointed and the flower very full and deep. Stem: Rather slender but very stiff, holding the big blooms well out of the foliage. From 10 to 15 inches to the first set of leaves. Foliage: Dark green and very heavy. Insects do not like it. Bush: 4 to 5 feet tall. Upright and well branched. Good root maker.

#### Winnings

1936 — Best seedling at the Bremerton show. Best seedling at the Western Washington Fair. Seedling Sweepstakes, 3 blooms, at Washington Dahlia Society show, Tacoma.

1937 — American Home Achievement Medal, Tacoma. Best seedling entered by an amateur, Western Washington Fair.

We are proud to introduce this fine dahlia, for an amateur grower, as it has been a sensation here and we are sure you will like it.

Roots, early delivery, \$25.00 net — April delivery, \$15.00 net — Plants, May 15th, \$7.50



## NEW WASHINGTON MINIATURES

**STARLET (Kanouse) Semi-cactus** — Light lemon yellow, flowers 2½ to 3 inches in diameter. Spreading bush of medium height. Blooms never show open center and is an excellent keeper. Prolific bloomer. 1937 awards: Best Basket of Miniatures at the Washington Dahlia Society Early Blooms Show, Aug. 10. Best Basket of Miniatures in both amateur and open classes, Washington Dahlia Society regional show at Olympia; winning sweepstakes for the best miniature basket at that show. First in its class at the Washington Dahlia Society Show at Tacoma. Awarded best miniature in show at International Dahlia Show at Chicago; blooms sent air express from Olympia. Root.....\$1.00

**WINE DROP (Kanouse) Formal Decorative** — Wine red with a decided purple cast. The blooms are small, 2 to 3 inches, on slender stiff stems. This dahlia won Sweepstakes at the International Dahlia Show in Chicago in 1936, being sent air mail from Olympia. The bush grows 4½ ft. high and is full of blooms, always.....50c

**RED WING (Kanouse) Formal Decorative** — Scarlet red, very full formation, almost a ball. Flowering habit good, with early blooms on fine stems. Plant grows 4 to 5 feet tall. ....50c

**DAD'S OWN (Litz) Formal Decorative** — Light rose pink with a silvery lavender sheen. The edges and tips of the petals are finely edged white. The flower is very full with the petals curving back to the stem. Notched petals give a lacy appearance which is very attractive. Size of blooms, 3 to 3½ inches, with the bush about 4 ft. high. Won blue ribbons at the Washington Dahlia Society show in Tacoma, 1937, in amateur and open classes and at the Western Washington Fair in the amateur class. ....\$1.00

**OLYMPIC GOLD** — Single — 2½ inch blooms of gold, shading to buff at the edge of the petals. Stems slender and stiff. The petals cup forward making a graceful flower for cutting. ....75c

## CLASSIFICATIONS

Cactus (C.) Semi-Cactus (S.C.) Formal Decorative (F.D.)  
Informal Decorative (I. D.)



- ACHIEVEMENT (I. D.)** — Gold with bronze shadings. Large size, graceful formation and good, strong stem. -----50c
- AIR MAIL (I. D.)** — Rosy lavender blooms on a very long cane-like stem. One of the best keepers when cut. Size, nine inches by four deep.-----50c
- ALEX CRAIG (S. C.)** — Pink with cream center. A fine dahlia. -----\$1.00
- AMERICA'S SWEETHEART (I. D.)** — Giant pure yellow blooms of great depth, held nearly on top of absolutely stiff stems. Can be grown to 12 inches and more and has won "the largest dahlia in the show"-----\$2.50
- ANDREA ERICKSON (I. D.)** — Pure white. Giant blooms on good stems. -----50c
- ANGELA MIA (F. D.)** — A beautiful white with creamy center with the petals curving back to the very stiff stem, forming a large ball. -----\$1.00
- ARELDA LLOYD (I. D.)** — Best described as the yellow Jane Cowl, with all the good qualities of that grand dahlia. ----- 75c
- AUDREY AMES (F. D.)** — A large pure old rose dahlia. Stem and form perfect. -----\$2.50
- BAUER'S IDEAL (F. D.)** — From Vienna comes this lovely red dahlia of a particularly glowing color. Stem excellent and blooms large. -----\$1.50
- BETTY AUSTIN (Ball)** — Burnt orange with scarlet at the tips of the petals. -----35c
- BETTY COULTER (I. D.)** — Very large full flower on a perfect stem. The color is an even shade of salmon red overlaid with rose. Low growing bush. -----75c
- BOBBE DEAN (F. D.)** — One of the finest cut flowers it has been our pleasure to grow, winning prizes the last two years for us, whenever shown. The color is a soft apricot orange with the blooms of Jersey's Beauty type on long perfect stems, making a wonderful dahlia for basket and bouquet work. The blooms are six to eight inches across and five inches deep, with the petals curving back to the stem when in full bloom. Scored 85 at East Lansing Trial Gardens in 1935. -----\$2.00
- BIG BEN (Ball)** — A large, perfect ball of bright red, 35c
- BUCKEYE KING (F. D.)** — Very large full flowers of glowing amber. -----50c
- CAVALCADE (F. D.)** — A beautiful shade of old rose or mulberry pink. Growth like Jersey's Beauty but much larger blooms. -----\$1.00
- CALIFORNIA IDOL (I. D.)** — One of the great big ones. Pure glistening yellow blooms of great depth. Very graceful formation and fine stem. -----\$3.50
- CHARMER (I. D.)** — Clear golden buff with slight apricot yellow suffusion. Bush, stem and habit of growth like Jane Cowl. Free bloomer and keeping qualities when cut are exceptionally good. -----\$1.50
- CITY OF CLEVELAND (I. D.)** — A rust red, very large dahlia that is unusual in coloring. Stems are strong and erect. Profuse bloomer.-----\$2.50
- CLARA CARDER (I. D.)** — A huge flower of true cyclamen pink with a perfect stem and lovely foliage. Low growing bush. A real prize winner. -----\$2.00

- DAD SMITH (H. Smith) — Formal Decorative —** Soft red petals, heavily edged with golden yellow, form a striking flower on a long stem held well above the foliage. It is classed as a cut flower, the seven-inch blooms and long keeping qualities making a fine dahlia for baskets and bouquets. We won four first prizes in 1937 with this dahlia, using it in baskets. -----75c
- EAGLEROCK FANTASY (I. D.) —** Immense blooms of clear mallow pink on excellent stems. A beauty of the "Largest Flower" class. -----75c
- EAGLEROCK SUPERBA (I. D.) —** Very large pink dahlia. Stem good. -----75c
- ELITE GLORY (I. D.) —** One of the largest. Rich glowing red with a perfect stem. -----50c
- ELITE GEM (C.) —** Spinal pink on yellow. Fine flower on good stem. -----50c
- EMILY DUNCAN (C.) —** A large pink, with white center, that has won many prizes in the cactus class.-----75c
- FLORA BELLE (F. D.)—** True pink with gold-tipped petals. Long, stiff stems and good keeping qualities.---50c
- FLORENCE FLORY (I. D.) —** Very dark red, almost black at the center of the flower. Stem stiff and a free bloomer. ----- 50c
- FRANK MILLER (F. D.) —** Clear golden yellow, large flowers on a perfect stem. -----50c
- FRANZ BERGER (C.) —** A bright coral red. This is a seedling of Frau O Bracht with the same formation and growth. Very good. -----\$1.00
- FRAU O BRACHT (S. C.) —** Primrose yellow. A consistent winner. -----50c
- GOLDEN STANDARD (C.) —** Light tan shaded with tints of amber. Seven inch blooms of beautiful formation on good stems. Prize winner. -----\$1.00
- GOODNIGHT (I. D.) —** Immense maroon blooms that are nearly black, with a lighter garnet reverse. Beautiful formation and fine stem. -----50c
- GRANDEE (I. D.) —** Light nopal red shaded orange yellow. Can be grown 14 inches and the stems are cane-like. ----- \$1.00
- GRETEL (C.) —** A straight cactus of bright henna color, from Austria. Medium sized flowers on a fine stem. \$1
- HAPPINESS (F. D.) —** A dahlia you will notice from across the garden for its color. Bright begonia rose with a zone of yellow at the center. The petals fold forward, showing the silvery pink reverse. Strong stems. ----- \$2.50
- HI-LITE (I. D.) —** Large velvety carmine dahlia shaded rose, lightly tipped with gold. Ten to eleven inch blooms on a long strong stem. A real beauty.-----\$2.50
- INCADESCENT (I. D.) —** A seedling of Jane Cowl, with all the parents good qualities. The color is rich rosy buff with reverse of yellow and old rose. A deep rich coloring, great size and wonderful stem make this dahlia outstanding. -----\$5.00
- IVRALEE (S. C.) —** Ivory colored dahlia of beautiful formation. Seven to nine inch blooms on long strong stems. New dahlia by Mrs. J. W. Lee.-----\$2.50
- JANE COWL (I. D.) —** Glistening bronzy buff and gold blooms with beautiful high centered formation. The best of stem and fine heavy foliage. -----50c
- JERSEY'S BEAUTY (F. D.) —** The finest pink cut flower still, after many years on the market-----50c

- JERSEY'S DAINTY (C.)** — A fine white cactus. Very good cut flower and prolific bloomer. -----50c
- KATHLEEN NORRIS (I. D.)** — True rose pink. Very large, deep flowers. Hard to beat after many years on the market. -----50c
- KATHLEEN VALENTINE SMITH (C.)** — A lovely true pink with white at the center. Long erect stems hold the fine blooms above the foliage. Very fine.-----50c
- KEMP'S VIOLET WONDER (I. D.)** — Large deep violet. Stem good. -----50c
- LADY MOYRA PONSONBY (I. D.)** — Pure glowing yellow, big blooms, with pointed petals. Stem excellent. \$1
- LEE'S PERFECTION (C.)** — Mauve pink, fine petaled cactus on a strong stem. -----75c
- LORD OF AUTUMN (I. D.)** — A fine clear yellow with no other shading. Prize winning beauty of great size and depth with most beautiful formation. Long, strong stems hold the big blooms well out of foliage.-----\$1.00
- LORD LAMBOURN (I. D.)** — Bronze gold with a tint of lavender. Very full petaled and strong stem.-----75c
- MABLE GARRISON (S. C.)** — Golden yellow, heavily tipped scarlet. -----50c
- MARY ELLEN (F. D.)** — Lavender pink on long, strong stem. Large blooms are held well out of the beautiful dark foliage. Very good.-----50c
- MARY BROWN (S. C.)** — Salmon pink overlaid with bronze, giving a brown tone to the large, full blooms. Stem very strong. Petaloids of lavender.-----75c
- MISS OAKLAND (F. D.)** — A very fine new white dahlia on long, stiff stems. A winner of certificates at Storrs and East Lansing and on 1937 Honor Rolls. The blooms are from five to seven inches across and are deep. \$5.00
- MRS. A. B. SEAL (I. D.)** — Very large, old rose, on long stems. -----50c
- MRS. CHAS. G. REED (F. D.)** — Pure glistening white blooms on a fine stem. One of the best white dahlias grown. -----50c
- MRS. L. BRAGAZZI (C.)** — A very fine petaled cactus of salmon pink suffused with yellow at the base of the petals. The large blooms are held erect on good stems. A prize winner in the cactus class.-----75c
- MRS. GEO. LE BOUTTELIER (I. D.)** — A giant flower of velvety red on strong stem. The bush is low growing, of branching habit. -----\$1.50
- MRS. ELLA WORTHERN (I. D.)** — Very large blooms of loose formation with long narrow petals of a deep salmon pink with lavender reverse. The petals twist and curl, making it a hard color to describe. A real beauty on a fine stem. -----\$1.00
- NANCY ROBINSON (I. D.)** — Exquisite true pink blooms on long, slender, stiff stems. One of the finest cut flowers. Very graceful in bouquets.-----50c
- NEW GLORY (S. C.)** — Oxblood red with all petals tipped white. Fine stem and a most striking flower. 50c
- OLIVER TWIST (I. D.)** — Fine dahlia of large size and beauty. Deep lavender with a sheen. Petals wave and curl and the stems are long and stiff.-----\$1.00
- ORIENTAL BEAUTY (S. C.)** — Bright rose pink. Stems long and strong. One of the most beautiful dahlias and very popular. -----75c
- ORIENTAL GLORY (I. D.)** — Dazzling balls of deep orange overlaid with scarlet. The bush is medium height. Stem good. -----75c

- PALO ALTO (S. C.)** — Clear bright salmon, shaded gold, darker at center. Nine inch blooms on the best of long stems. A prize winner here. -----\$1.00
- PINK BEAUTY (C.)** — Clear rosalane pink blooms on good stems. Very good. -----75c
- PINK SPIRAL (C.)** — Peach blossom pink with a touch of primrose at the base of the petals. The petals incurve to form a complete spiral arrangement over the center of the flower. Stems are strong to hold the big blooms erect. ----- \$1.00
- PRINCE OF PERSIA (I. D.)** — Very striking bright red. The petals are long and broad of a rich, glowing crimson, and form a huge flower of good depth. Good stems and a vigorous growing plant. -----50c
- PURPLE MIST (F. D.)** — A beautiful deep purple with a bronze sheen. The ten inch blooms are held erect by long stiff stems. The bush grows about five and one-half feet tall and the foliage dark and insect-proof. We grew this new dahlia last year and liked its performance very much. -----\$5.00
- ROBIN ADAIR (I. D.)** — Large empire yellow with a sheen of bronze. Stem very stiff. A beautiful and outstanding dahlia. -----\$1.50
- RONDO (C.)** — A very fine light yellow cactus. Stem good and a prolific bloomer. -----50c
- ROUGH BOUQUET (S. C.)** — Very striking blend of orange, red and purple. -----50c
- ROSE BUD (ball)** — White, heavily tipped and edged rose. -----35c
- ROYAL SALUTE (I. D.)** — Rich red with tiny white petaloids all through the large blooms. Stem very strong and a fine keeper. Very good. -----\$2.00
- SALLY B. (F. D.)** — Very large, pure bright pink. Stem very good. -----50c
- SALBACH'S WHITE (F. D.)** — Pure white. An excellent cut flower. -----50c
- SAGAMORE CANARY (I. D.)** — Canary yellow blooms on a perfect stem. The large flowers are of beautiful formation and the blossoms above the dark green foliage make a striking picture. -----\$2.00
- SANHICAN'S CAMEO (F. D.)** — Large blossoms of coral rose with a sheen of gold. Perfect stem and a most beautiful formation. -----75c
- SATAN (S. C.)** — Flaming red with gold at the base of the petals. Cane-like stem and dark green foliage. Many times a prize winner. -----75c
- SCHENTENCHI (C)** — From Japan comes this rich maroon incurved cactus. Very fine petaled, with good stem. ----- \$1.50
- SILVA QUATA (Ball)** — A large silvery lavender dahlia with a smaller petal rolled in every large one. Stem rigid. -----35c
- SPOTLIGHT (I. D.)** — Sulphur yellow shading lighter near the tips of the petals and nearly white reverse. Large blooms on a strong stem. -----\$1.00
- WENOKA (F. D.)** — One of the big formals that has been a consistent winner for us. Rosy mauve or deep magenta flowers on a perfect stem. -----\$2.50
- WHITE WONDER (I. D.)** — Very large blooms of pure white on good stems. -----50c

# MINIATURE DAHLIAS

Types like the larger varieties, but small blooms, not over 3½ inches across. Plants are, most of them, 2½ to 3 feet tall, except those described as tall. All are profuse blooming and wonderful for cut flowers, especially fine for table decorations. All have splendid stems.

<b>BABY ROYAL</b> (S. C.) — Salmon pink and apricot with gold shadings. Low growing. -----	50c
<b>BISHOP OF LLANDAFF</b> (Duplex) — Rich deep red, dark eye, and nearly black foliage. Very attractive. ----	50c
<b>CARRIE HAMMOND</b> (S. C.) — Deep pink. Tall, full bush. -----	50c
<b>CHELSEA</b> (Peony) — Shell pink with yellow at the base of petals. -----	50c
<b>CORONNE</b> (F. D.) — Pure waxy white, resembling a gardenia. -----	50c
<b>CROWLY STAR</b> (Star) — Rose pink with crimson base. -----	50c
<b>ELIZABETH PAPE</b> (C.) — Salmon pink, tipped white. Very pretty. -----	50c
<b>FAIRY</b> (F. D.) — Soft rose pink with lavender tints. Stems very long. -----	50c
<b>GRANITE FALLS</b> (Collarette) — Rich red with yellow collar. Very fine. -----	50c
<b>HALLEY</b> (I. D.) — Dark velvety red with black sheen	50c
<b>LITTLE JEWEL</b> (F. D.) — Very small, dainty, apple blossom pink. -----	50c
<b>LITTLE SNOW QUEEN</b> (C.) — White. Three-inch blooms on strong stems that keep well when cut. Prolific bloomer. Very popular. -----	50c
<b>LORAINÉ MAE</b> (I. D.) — Bright orange, tipped white. Attractive. -----	50c
<b>NAOMI</b> (Single) — Velvety rose red with white at center. Beautiful in bouquets. -----	50c
<b>OUR ANNIE</b> (Peony) — Soft pink with golden yellow at center. Stems very strong. A favorite. -----	50c
<b>PINK PEARL</b> (Peony) — Rose pink. Prolific bloomer.	50c
<b>RED SEA</b> (I. D.) — Crimson. -----	50c
<b>SCARLET QUEEN</b> (Collarette) — Scarlet with yellow collar. -----	50c
<b>SALOMA</b> (Single) — Four-inch, golden yellow blooms on strong stems. -----	50c
<b>UNION BEAUTY</b> (Single) — Scarlet red and white striped petals with yellow base. Orange reverse, prolific bloomer. -----	50c
<b>UNION JACK</b> (Single) — Very showy, red and white.	50c
<b>WHITE SWAN</b> (Single) — Dainty pure white, with yellow center. -----	50c
<b>SNOW DROP</b> (C.) — Small, fine petaled cactus on perfectly stiff stems. -----	50c
<b>VERITY WADSWORTH</b> (F. D.) — Bright yellow on long stiff stems. -----	50c
<b>SPECIAL</b> — Your selection of any five 50c varieties of miniatures, collarettes or single dahlias for -----	\$2.00



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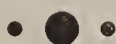
12 roots, postpaid, for \$2.00

Anyone wanting some good dahlias and not particular about the named varieties should, by all means, order one of these collections of untagged varieties — all different. Will make a nice showing in your garden.

## POMPON DAHLIAS

Type the same as ball dahlias, except the size should not be more than 2 inches across, and most of these we list are the best exhibition size, 1 to 1½ inches. All have strong stems and are splendid keeping cut flowers. Plants average 2½ to 3 feet tall.

<b>AIMEE</b> — Tiny bronze on a long stem. ....	25c
<b>ANNA VON SCHWERIN</b> — Light pink blending to white at center. Very fine. ....	50c
<b>ATOM</b> — Tiny bright red. ....	25c
<b>BABY</b> — White, heavily tipped lavender. ....	25c
<b>BANTUM</b> — Bright red. One of the best. ....	25c
<b>BOBBY</b> — Rosy purple. ....	25c
<b>CHICKIE</b> — Rose, with a touch of gold at the base of the petals. ....	25c
<b>DAINTY MISS</b> — White, with overcast of pink. ....	25c
<b>DARKEST OF ALL</b> — Very deep red. ....	25c
<b>DONALD GORDON</b> — Rich, bright red. ....	25c
<b>ELIZABETH</b> — Golden yellow, edged red. ....	25c
<b>HAZEL DELL</b> — Clear pink with cerise edge. ....	25c
<b>HONEY</b> — Light honey yellow, suffused red. ....	25c
<b>JOE FETTI</b> — White; long stem. ....	25c
<b>LEMON DROP</b> — Lemon yellow. ....	25c
<b>LIBBY ROHR</b> — Cerise purple. ....	25c
<b>LITTLE DAVID</b> — Orange red. Good. ....	25c
<b>LITTLE JIM</b> — Dark wine red. ....	25c
<b>MARY ELLEN PAPOOSE</b> — White, flushed rose pink. ....	25c
<b>MARY MUNNS</b> — Fuchsia, with orchid sheen. Fine cut flower. ....	25c
<b>MIKE</b> — Orange scarlet. Very bright. ....	25c
<b>NERISSA</b> — Rose pink. ....	25c
<b>PEGGY ANN</b> — Yellow, shaded brownish red. ....	25c
<b>PIXY</b> — Deep yellow, tipped Indian red. ....	25c
<b>SNOW CLAD</b> — Snowy white. ....	25c
<b>TAKA'S PURPLE</b> — Carmine purple. Very fine. ....	25c
<b>TOM THUMB</b> — Smallest bright red. ....	25c
<b>VERDI FLORI</b> — A real green dahlia. Novelty. ....	35c
<b>YELLOW GEM</b> — Pure, clear yellow. One of the best. ....	25c
<b>COLLECTION</b> — Our choice, 12 varieties, correctly labeled, for. ....	\$2.50



### GUARANTEE

We guarantee all roots to grow and be true to name and will cheerfully replace any that fail in either respect.

### TIME OF SHIPMENT

Unless otherwise ordered, roots will be shipped between April 15th and May 15th. Dahlias ordered shipped before April 15th will be sent only at purchaser's risk.

Remittances should be made by bank draft, check, or P. O. money order. Stamps will be accepted up to \$1.00.

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We wish to thank our friends for their patronage in the past and hope to hear from them again this year. In this, our modest catalog, you will find listed only the dahlias we have grown in our own gardens, and found good. We wish you the best of everything this year and much pleasure in your garden with FINE DAHLIAS.



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